THE NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS ACT, 1881*
(XXVI OF 1881).

G. N., H. D., No. 596/3, dated 8th Apr. 1933 (B. G., Pt. I, p. 889). **S. 138**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 (XXVI of 1881), and in supersession of so much of the Government of India Notification in the Home Department, Judicial, No. 598,† dated the 24th March 1888, as relates to the Presidency of Bombay, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the persons mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto to be Notaries Public§ and to exercise their functions as such within the local areas mentioned in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Persons.	Local Area.
BY VIRTUE OF OFFICE.	
Ahmedabad.	
Sub-Registrar of Ahmedabad ..	District of Ahmedabad.
Broach.	
Treasury Officer, Broach	District of Broach.
Kaira.	
Treasury Officer, Kaira	District of Kaira.
Sub-Registrar, Nadiad	
Sub-Registrar, Borsad	
Sub-Registrar, Umreth	
Sub-Registrar, Kapadvanj	
Panch Mahals.	
Sub-Registrar, Godhra	District of Panch Mahals.
Surat.	
Treasury Officer, Surat	District of Surat.
Kolaba.	
Treasury Officer, Alibag	District of Kolaba.

* For entrustment of functions of the Central Government under the explanation to section 25 and sections 138 and 139 of the Act, *see* G. of I., H. D., Public, Notn. No. 288/37, 1st April 1938 and G. of I., H. D., Notn. No. 267/37, Judicial, 23rd December 1938 respectively under section 124 (*1*) of the Govt. of India Act, 1935.

† Republished in Government Notn. in the J. D., No. 1878, 7th April 1888, at p. 336 of *B. G.*, 1888, Pt. I.

§ The Notaries Public appointed under this Act are included in the definition of notary under the Notaries Act, 1952 (LIII of 1952), for a period of two years from the commencement of the said Act [*Vide* s. 2 (*d*) of Bom. 53 of 1952].

Persons.	Local Area.
Ratnagiri.	
Treasury Officer, Ratnagiri	District of Ratnagiri.
Thana.	
Treasury Officer, Thana	District of Thana.
Ahmednagar.	
Treasury Officer, Ahmednagar	District of Ahmednagar.
East Khandesh.	
Sub-Registrar, Jalgaon	District of East Khandesh.
West Khandesh.	
Treasury Officer, Dhulia	District of West Khandesh.
Nasik.	
Treasury Officer, Nasik	District of Nasik.
Poona.	
Sub-Registrar, Haveli No. 1	District of Poona.
Satara.	
Treasury Officer, Satara	District of Satara.
Sholapur.	
Sub-Registrar, Sholapur	District of Sholapur.
Bombay Suburban District.	
Sub-Registrar, Bandra	District of Bombay Suburban District.
Belgaum.	
Treasury Officer, Belgaum Sub-Registrar, Chikodi Sub-Registrar, Athni Sub-Registrar, Parasgad	District of Belgaum.
Bijapur.	
Treasury Officer, Bijapur	District of Bijapur.
Dharwar.	
Treasury Officer, Dharwar	District of Dharwar.
Kanara.	
Treasury Officer, Karwar	District of Kanara.

G. N., H. D., No. 9085/5, dated 15th March 1951 (B. G., Pt. I, p. 1658). **S. 138**

In exercise of the functions of the Central Government under section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 (XXVI of 1881), entrusted to the Provincial Government by the Government of India, Home Department Notification No. 267/37-Judicial, dated the 23rd December 1938, the Government of Bombay is pleased to appoint the persons mentioned in column one of the schedule appended hereto to be Notaries Public* and to direct that they shall exercise their functions as such Notaries Public within the local areas specified in column two of the said schedule against their names :—

SCHEDULE.

Persons.	Local Area.
BY VIRTUE OF OFFICE.	
Sabarkantha.	
Sub-Registrar, Himatnagar ...	... District of Sabarkantha.
Banaskantha.	
Sub-Registrar, Palanpur	... District of Banaskantha.
Baroda.	
Sub-Registrar, Baroda ...	... District of Baroda.
Mehsana.	
Sub-Registrar, Mehsana ...	... District of Mehsana.
Amreli.	
Sub-Registrar, Amreli ...	... District of Amreli.
South Satara.	
Sub-Registrar, Sangli ...	... District of Satara South.
Kolhapur.	
Sub-Registrar, Karvir ...	... District of Kolhapur.

* The Notaries Public appointed under this Act are included in the definition of notary under the Notaries Act, 1952 (LIII of 1952), for a period of two years from the commencement of the said Act (*vide* s. 2 (*d*) of Bom. 53 of 1952).